

## **Region 3 GPRA Baseline RCRA Corrective Action Facility**

# **Wilson Jones Company (Formerly: Acme Visible Records)**

1000 Allview Drive  
Crozet, Virginia 22932  
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Congressional District 5  
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## **Current RCRA CA Activities**

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The Wilson Jones Facility in Crozet, Virginia has been actively performing corrective action on the regulated unit, a former wastewater lagoon, under a post-closure permit. The successful completion of a pilot scale *in situ* bioremediation test in 1999 resulted in the installation of a full-scale remedial system in 2001. Hydrogen releasing compounds (HRC) are effectively reducing the concentration the chlorinated solvents in the groundwater. The facility continues to sample the groundwater on a quarterly basis to study the effects of the corrective action.

The Virginia Department of Environmental Quality (VDEQ) met with the facility in May 2003 to discuss the initiation of a facility-wide corrective action program. VDEQ submitted a call-in letter for a post-closure care permit modification in June 2003. The facility submitted the fee associated with the modification in August 2003. A meeting with the facility was also held in August 2003 to discuss the current data gaps and data collection strategy to assist in updating the Environmental Indicator forms. In September 2003, the facility submitted a letter with suggested changes to the Corrective Action permit modules and attachments that will be covered in the permit modification. VDEQ is currently reviewing the modules and is preparing a draft of the modified post-closure permit.

## **Site Description**

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The facility is located on the eastern edge of Crozet, Virginia, in Albemarle County. It is located to the south of State Route 240 and approximately 1 mile east of the intersection of State Routes 240 and 810. The facility site has a total area of 62 acres, which is traversed by railroad tracks owned by the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company. The manufacturing area is on a 26-acre tract of land north of the railroad tracks. The northern portion contains the 76,000 square foot manufacturing plant, a house that contained the company credit union, two warehouses, a wood shop, and a small storage shed. The southern portion has four storage buildings/sheds in addition to the former waste treatment disposal system. The main building of the manufacturing building was built in 1950. Five separate expansions of this building occurred in 1956, 1963, 1965, 1967, and 1971. Industrial wastewaters, both process and non-process, were routed to the 1.6 acre wastewater lagoon. This lagoon was located next to the main production building.

The plant began manufacturing office/record storage and retrieval equipment (file cabinets, bookcases,

desks) in 1954. Printed folders were manufactured from 1954 to 1975, and then again from 1989 until operations ceased. Most recent operations included folder fabrication and printing, and metal fabrication (impact deformation, pressure deformation, shearing, grinding, spot welding), painting, assembly, and shipping.

## RCRA CA Milestones

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On December 6, 2002, VDEQ met with Wilson Jones representatives to discuss the current status of the Environmental Indicator for Release to Groundwater. VDEQ submitted a call-in letter for a post-closure care permit modification in June 2003. The facility submitted the fee associated with the modification in August 2003. A meeting with the facility was also held in August 2003 to discuss the current data gaps and data collection strategy to assist in updating the Environmental Indicator forms. In September 2003, the facility submitted a letter with suggested changes to the Corrective Action permit modules and attachments that will be covered in the permit modification. VDEQ is currently reviewing the modules and is preparing a draft of the modified post-closure permit.

## Environmental Indicator Status

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Under the Government Performance and Results Act (GPRA), EPA has set national goals to address high priority RCRA CA facilities by the year 2005. The CCP facility falls under the GPRA CA initiative and is considered a high priority facility by the EPA.

EPA is evaluating two key environmental indicators (EI's) for each facility: 1) Current Human Exposures under Control, and 2) Migration of Contaminated Groundwater under Control. Virginia's current evaluation of Environmental Indicators for this facility is as follows:

- *Human Exposures Controlled Determination:* YES. Please refer to form CA725 dated September, 2003 for more details.
- *Release to Groundwater Controlled Determination:* IN. Please refer to form CA750 dated September, 2003 for more details.

## Contaminants

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Surface soils & Subsurface soils:	benzene, naphthalene, bis(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate, barium, arsenic and lead
Groundwater:	trichloroethene, tetrachloroethene, vinyl chloride

## Community Involvement

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A community relations plan will be developed by the facility as part of the RCRA Corrective Action process. VDEQ maintains a facility mailing list that is used to inform the public of substantial issues regarding the facility's permit.

## Government Contacts

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The Commonwealth of Virginia has the lead authority for this project. Please contact the state project manager listed below for details on this project or the contents of this fact sheet.

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For more information about EPA's corrective action webpage, including Environmental Indicators, please visit our site at: [www.epa.gov/reg3wcmd/correctiveaction.htm](http://www.epa.gov/reg3wcmd/correctiveaction.htm)

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## Factsheet Updates

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The previous factsheet was updated in July 2003. The next update is scheduled for July 2004. Previous factsheets may be obtained through listed contacts.